

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. – 20. (Canceled)

21. (Previously Presented) A method for combating signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

22. (Previously Presented) A method for increasing the radiance of the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to increase the radiance of the skin, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives, and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

23. (Previously Presented) A method for smoothing the facial skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to elicit a smoothing effect on the facial skin, a

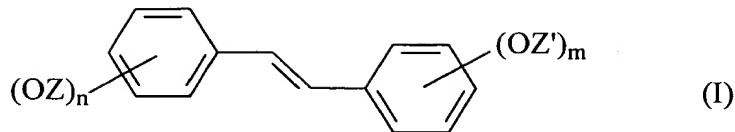
composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives, and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

24. (Previously Presented) A method for treating wrinkles or fine lines in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the appearance of wrinkles or fine lines in the skin, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives, and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

25. (Previously Presented) A method for stimulating epidermal renewal in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to stimulate epidermal renewal in the skin, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives, and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

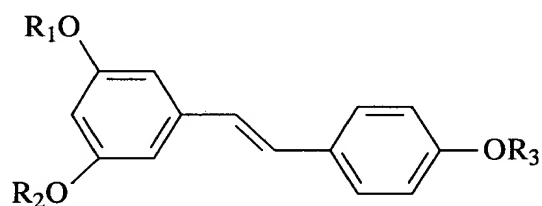
26. (Canceled)

27. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 45, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound having the structural formula (I):



wherein \underline{n} is a whole number ranging from 1 to 5; \underline{m} is a whole number ranging from 0 to 5; and Z and Z', which may be identical or different, are each a hydrogen atom or a glucosyl radical, with the proviso that at least one of Z and Z' is a glucosyl radical.

28. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 45, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound having the structural formula (II):



wherein the radicals R_1 , R_2 and R_3 , which may be identical or different, are each a hydrogen atom or a glucosyl radical, with the proviso that at least one of R_1 , R_2 and R_3 is a glucosyl radical.

29. (Canceled)

30. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 45, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound consisting of the D optical isomer thereof.

31. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 45, wherein said composition consists of (i) an effective amount of an admixture of glucosylated hydroxystilbene compounds, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives, and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

32. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 45, wherein said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound is extracted from plants.

33. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 45, wherein said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound is extracted from *vitis vinifera* or *polygonum cuspidatum* tissue.

34. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 45, wherein said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound is extracted from wine.

35.-44. (Canceled)

45. (Previously Presented) A method for combating signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, for increasing the radiance of the skin, for smoothing the facial skin, for treating wrinkles or fine lines in the skin or for stimulating epidermal renewal in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon for a period of time sufficient to lessen signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, to increase the

radiance of the skin, to elicit a smoothing effect on the facial skin, to lessen the appearance of wrinkles or fine lines in the skin or to stimulate epidermal renewal in the skin, respectively, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives, and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

46. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 45, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

47. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 46, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

48. (Previously Presented) A method for combating signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or composition and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene.

49. (Previously Presented) A method for increasing the radiance of the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying

thereon, for a period of time sufficient to increase the radiance of the skin, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or composition and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene.

50. (Previously Presented) A method for smoothing the facial skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to elicit a smoothing effect on the facial skin, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or composition and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene.

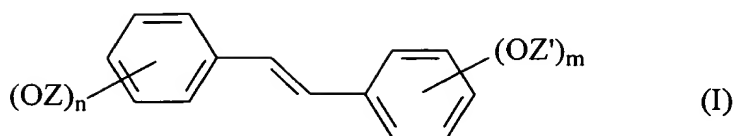
51. (Previously Presented) A method for treating wrinkles or fine lines in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the appearance of wrinkles or fine lines in the skin, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or composition and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene.

52. (Previously Presented) A method for stimulating epidermal renewal in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically

applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to stimulate epidermal renewal in the skin, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or composition and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene.

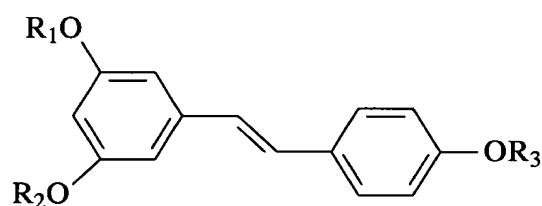
53. (Previously Presented) A method for combating signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, for increasing the radiance of the skin, for smoothing the facial skin, for treating wrinkles or fine lines in the skin or for stimulating epidermal renewal in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon for a period of time sufficient to lessen signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, to increase the radiance of the skin, to elicit a smoothing effect on the facial skin, to lessen the appearance of wrinkles or fine lines in the skin or to stimulate epidermal renewal in the skin, respectively, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or a composition comprising an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene.

54. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound having the structural formula (I):



wherein n is a whole number ranging from 1 to 5; m is a whole number ranging from 0 to 5; and Z and Z', which may be identical or different, are each a hydrogen atom or a glucosyl radical, with the proviso that at least one of Z and Z' is a glucosyl radical.

55. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound having the structural formula (II):



wherein the radicals R₁, R₂ and R₃, which may be identical or different, are each a hydrogen atom or a glucosyl radical, with the proviso that at least one of R₁, R₂ and R₃ is a glucosyl radical.

56. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound being selected from the group consisting of 3,4'-dihydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5-dihydroxystilbene-4'-O-beta-glucoside; 4',5-dihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 4'-hydroxystilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3,4'-O-beta-diglucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-4',5-O-beta-diglucoside; stilbene-3,4',5-O-beta-triglucoside; 4'-methoxy-3',5-stilbenediol-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5,4'-trihydroxystilbene-2-O-beta-glucoside; 3',4,5'-

trihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; pinosylvin glucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; and/or stilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside.

57. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound consisting of the D optical isomer thereof.

58. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, said composition consisting of an effective amount of an admixture of glucosylated hydroxystilbene compounds and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

59. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, wherein said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound is extracted from plants.

60. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, wherein said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound is extracted from *vitis vinifera* or *polygonum cuspidatum* tissue.

61. (Previously Presented) The method as defined by Claim 53, wherein said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound is extracted from wine.

62. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 53, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

63. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 62, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

64. (New) A method for combating signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound being selected from the group consisting of 3,4'-dihydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5-dihydroxystilbene-4'-O-beta-glucoside; 4',5-dihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 4'-hydroxystilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3,4'-O-beta-diglucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-4',5-O-beta-diglucoside; stilbene-3,4',5-O-beta-triglucoside; 4'-methoxy-3',5-stilbenediol-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5,4'-trihydroxystilbene-2-O-beta-glucoside; 3',4,5'-trihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; pinosylvin glucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; and/or stilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives; and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

65. (New) A method for combating signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, for increasing the radiance of the skin, for smoothing the facial skin, for treating wrinkles or fine lines in the skin or for stimulating epidermal renewal in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon for a period of time sufficient to lessen signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, to increase the radiance of the skin, to elicit a smoothing effect on the facial skin, to lessen the appearance of wrinkles or fine lines in the skin or to stimulate epidermal renewal in the skin, respectively, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound being selected from the group consisting of 3,4'-dihydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5-dihydroxystilbene-4'-O-beta-glucoside; 4',5-dihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 4'-hydroxystilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3,4'-O-beta-diglucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-4',5-O-beta-diglucoside; stilbene-3,4',5-O-beta-triglucoside; 4'-methoxy-3',5-stilbenediol-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5,4'-trihydroxystilbene-2-O-beta-glucoside; 3',4,5'-trihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; pinosylvin glucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; and/or stilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives, and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

66. (New) A method according to Claim 65, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

67. (New) A method according to Claim 66, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

68. (New) A method for combating signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of cutaneous aging or aging of the hair follicles, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or composition comprising an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound being selected from the group consisting of 3,4'-dihydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5-dihydroxystilbene-4'-O-beta-glucoside; 4',5-dihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 4'-hydroxystilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3,4'-O-beta-diglucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-4',5-O-beta-diglucoside; stilbene-3,4',5-O-beta-triglucoside; 4'-methoxy-3',5-stilbenediol-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5,4'-trihydroxystilbene-2-O-beta-glucoside; 3',4,5'-trihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; pinosylvin glucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; and/or stilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside.

69. (New) A method according to Claim 68, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

70. (New) A method according to Claim 69, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

71. (New) A method for treating wrinkles or fine lines in the skin of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the appearance of wrinkles or fine lines in the skin, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or a composition comprising an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound being selected from the group consisting of 3,4'-dihydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5-dihydroxystilbene-4'-O-beta-glucoside; 4',5-dihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 4'-hydroxystilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3,4'-O-beta-diglucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-4',5-O-beta-diglucoside; stilbene-3,4',5-O-beta-triglucoside; 4'-methoxy-3',5-stilbenediol-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5,4'-trihydroxystilbene-2-O-beta-glucoside; 3',4,5'-trihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; pinosylvin glucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; and/or stilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside.

72. (New) A method according to Claim 71, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

73. (New) A method according to Claim 72, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

74. (New) A method for combating signs of aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of aging of the hair follicles, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

75. (New) A method according to Claim 74, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

76. (New) A method according to Claim 72, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

77. (New) A method for combating signs of aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of aging of the hair follicles, an

effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or a composition comprising an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene.

78. (New) A method according to Claim 77, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

79. (New) A method according to Claim 78, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

80. (New) A method for combating signs of aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of aging of the hair follicles, a composition consisting of (i) an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound as the active principle, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound being selected from the group consisting of 3,4'-dihydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5-dihydroxystilbene-4'-O-beta-glucoside; 4',5-dihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 4'-hydroxystilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3,4'-O-beta-diglucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-4',5-O-beta-diglucoside; stilbene-3,4',5-O-beta-triglucoside; 4'-methoxy-3',5-stilbenediol-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5,4'-trihydroxystilbene-2-O-beta-glucoside; 3',4,5'-

trihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; pinosylvic glucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; and/or stilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; (ii) one or more usual cosmetic or pharmaceutical additives; and (iii) a physiologically acceptable medium therefor.

81. (New) A method according to Claim 80, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

82. (New) A method according to Claim 81, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.

83. (New) A method for combating signs of aging of the hair follicles of an individual subject in need of such treatment, comprising topically applying thereon, for a period of time sufficient to lessen the signs of aging of the hair follicles, an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound or a composition comprising an effective amount of at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound and a physiologically acceptable medium therefor, said compound or composition, respectively, being free of an effective amount of non-glucosylated hydroxystilbene, said at least one glucosylated hydroxystilbene compound being selected from the group consisting of 3,4'-dihydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5-dihydroxystilbene-4'-O-beta-glucoside; 4',5-dihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 4'-hydroxystilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3,4'-O-beta-diglucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-4',5-O-beta-diglucoside; stilbene-3,4',5-O-

beta-triglucoside; 4'-methoxy-3',5-stilbenediol-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3,5,4'-trihydroxystilbene-2-O-beta-glucoside; 3',4,5'-trihydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; pinosylvin glucoside; 5-hydroxystilbene-3-O-beta-glucoside; 3-hydroxystilbene-5-O-beta-glucoside; and/or stilbene-3,5-O-beta-diglucoside.

84. (New) A method according to Claim 83, wherein said composition further comprises a glucosidase activator in an amount sufficient to stimulate the activity of endogenous glucosidases.

85. (New) A method according to Claim 84, wherein the glucosidase activator is 1-O-methyl- β -D-glucopyranoside.